

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – M.A, & U.D.Department – GHMC – Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired) – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Enquiry conducted - Imposition of penalty under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMN & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II/2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 315

Dated:01/03/2011

Read the following :

- 1.G.O.Rt.No.509, MA&UD (Vig.II) Dept., Dated : 09.05.2006.
- 2.From Sri G.Eshwaraiah, Executive Engineer, MCH, Written Statement of Defence, Dated:28.07.2006.
- 3.G.O.Rt.No.1152, MA&UD (Vig.II) Dept., Dt. 07-08-2006.
- 4.From Sri.K.Sudhakar, Zonal Commissioner (NZ), GHMC & Inquiring Authority, Lr.No.5/ZC(NZ)EO/2009, Dt.22.06.2009.
- 5.Govt.Memo.No.5497/Vig.II(2)/2006-12, Dated:11.12.2009.
- 6.From Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer, MCH (Retired), Written Explanation, Dated:24.01.2010.
7. Govt Memo No.5497/Vig.II(2)/2006-17, Dated :27.05.2010.
8. From Sri G.Eshwaraiah, E.E. (Retd.), Letter, Dt. 24-01-2010.
9. Govt. Letter No./Vig.II(2)/2005-17, Dated: 09/11/2010.
10. From the Prl.Secy., A.P.P.S.C., Letter No.1667/RT-1/2/2010, Dated:24.12.2010.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Charges have been framed against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH., on the allegation of inaction in carrying out the inspections to cover the manholes, which led to the death of Master Sai Kumar, a school boy falling into the manhole on 09.08.2005.

2. Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH., has submitted his Written Statement of Defence vide reference 2nd read above.

3. After examining the Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officer, in the reference 3rd cited. Government have appointed Sri K.Sudhakar, Additional Commissioner, GHMC as E.O. to inquire into the matter. The Inquiry Authority has submitted his Inquiry Report in the reference 4th read above, wherein he held the charges against the charged officer as not proved. However, a copy of the inquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer along with disagreement factors in the reference 5th read above. In the reference 6th read above, the charged officer has submitted his Written Explanation to the Government.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government have provisionally decided to impose the punishment of withholding 3% pension, against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired). Accordingly, a show cause notice has been issued to the Charged Officer, for his explanation as to why the above proposed punishment should not be imposed against him, under Rule-9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 - vide reference 7th read above. The Charged Officer has submitted his explanation to the show cause notice vide reference 8th read above and the same was examined and found not convincing.

5. Hence, in the reference 9th read above, Government have requested the A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, for concurrence, to impose the punishment of withholding 3% pension, against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired).

6. After examining the Government proposal, the A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad in their Letter 10th read above, has given its concurrence to impose the punishment of withholding 3% pension for a period of 1 year, against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired).

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7. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter and in consultation with appropriate authority, decided to impose the punishment of withholding 3% pension, against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired), under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

8. Accordingly, Under Rule-9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, the punishment of withholding 3% pension, is hereby imposed against Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (now retired).

9. The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad, shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

T.S.APPA RAO
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri G.Eshwaraiah, the then Executive Engineer (I/c), MCH (retired), **through** the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad

The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P.Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad

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SECTION OFFICER